THE FLORIDA SENATE 2017 SUMMARY OF LEGISLATION PASSED Committee on Regulated Industries

CS/HB 141 — Craft Distilleries

by Careers and Competition Subcommittee and Reps. Stevenson, Raschein, and others (CS/CS/CS/SB 166 by Appropriations Committee; Commerce and Tourism Committee; Regulated Industries Committee; and Senators Steube, Brandes, Hutson, and Young)

The bill increases the number of factory-sealed individual containers of distilled spirits a craft distillery may sell in a face-to-face transaction with a consumer per calendar year to a maximum of six containers of each brand.

Current law permits the distillery to sell to consumers in a face-to-face transaction, per calendar year, two containers of each brand of distilled spirits, three containers of one brand and one container of a second brand, or four containers of a single brand.

If approved by the Governor, these provisions take effect upon becoming law. *Vote: Senate 37-0; House 114-2*

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